

**CITY OF BATON ROUGE  
PARISH OF EAST BATON ROUGE  
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND DRAINAGE  
ENGINEERING DIVISION**

**August 5, 2016**

**ADDENDUM NO. 1**

**TO: ALL BIDDERS**

**SUBJECT: EAST CHIMES STREET BRIDGE REPLACEMENT  
CITY-PARISH PROJECT NO. 11-BR-LA-0038**

**BID DATE: Tuesday, August 16, 2016 at 2:00 p.m.**

The following revisions shall be incorporated in and take precedence over any conflicting part of the original contract document:

**PART 1 – UNIFORM CONSTRUCTION BID FORMS:**

1. For paper sealed bidders, with reference to page UCBF 1 of 4 of Part 1, Uniform Construction Bid Forms, the Bidder shall indicate the receipt of this addendum in the space provided. For online Bid Express bidders, an acknowledgement of this addendum will be prompted by the electronic bidding program prior to formally submitting the bid. Failure to indicate the receipt of this addendum shall be cause for the bid to be rejected.

**COMMENTS & QUESTIONS:**

As points of clarification: (Responses are bold type below each question)

1. Are there any specific restrictions that need to be considered as it relates to restricting canal flow?

**There are to be no restrictions to the canal flow that would cause adverse backwater or flooding upstream of the project site. Any required restrictions for temporary dewatering and drainage efforts to facilitate construction shall be as outlined in the Special Provisions for bid item 9900002 "Temporary Dewatering and Drainage". During any temporary damming, the Contractor shall utilize adequately-sized pumping equipment for bypass drainage and shall be paid for under bid item 9900002 "Temporary Dewatering and Drainage".**

2. Are there any specific restrictions that need to be considered as it relates to work in proximity of the overhead transmission and distribution lines?

**The Contractor shall follow all required OSHA guidelines and associated clearances for work near existing electrical overhead transmission and distribution lines. Existing electrical transmission lines and poles will remain in place. At minimum, the Contractor shall maintain 15 feet of clearance from any transmission line and 10 feet from any distribution line. Entergy Electric will meet with the low-bid Contractor on-site after bid opening and relocate the necessary overhead distribution lines accordingly to accommodate construction. Contractor is to refer to Section 8 of the Special Provisions with respect to utilities.**

3. Does as built documentation exist as it relates to the transmission line tower foundation?

**Entergy Electric was unable to locate as-built documentation as it relates to the transmission line tower foundation however Entergy Electric did confirm that the tower foundation was a direct embedment and did not contain any type of spread footing.**


4. Can you identify the nature of the existing utility conduit that crosses the canal supported by the existing bridge?

**City-Parish will coordinate the removal of the subject conduit prior to the beginning of construction with the corresponding utility. Contractor is to refer to Section 8 of the Special Provisions with respect to utilities.**

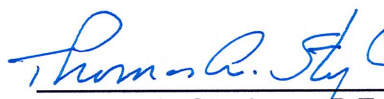
5. Does the contractor have the flexibility to demo existing / construct new bridge in sections?


**Yes. Contractor would be required to submit a phased plan of work for approval by the Project Engineer to demo/construct the new structure in sections. Any modifications to the plans to accommodate the Contractor's proposed phased construction in sections shall be signed by a Professional Engineer licensed in the State of Louisiana. Any additional materials, labor or Engineering services required above and beyond that listed in the Contract Documents to accommodate the phased construction in sections will be at no direct pay and is to be accounted for in the unit prices for the quantities provided in the bid.**

RECOMMENDED:

  
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